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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sirs:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, it is respectfully requested that the following reference(s) be considered in the examination of the above-identified patent application:

<u>Patent No.</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Inventor(s)</u>	<u>United States Class</u>
3,845,291	10/29/74	R. E. Portyrata	240/26
4,564,889	01/14/86	F. J. Bolson	362/192
4,616,298	10/07/86	F. J. Bolson	362/192
4,920,465	04/24/90	R. J. Sargent	362/96
5,207,499	05/04/93	J. Vajda, et al.	362/96
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6,021,960	02/08/00	J. Kehat	239/289

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The above-identified reference(s) are listed on the attached PTO Form 1449 and copies are also enclosed herewith.

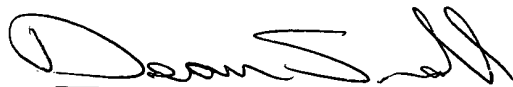
This submission, is in no way intended as an admission that the above-cited references constitute prior art under any subsection of 35 U.S.C. § 102. Applicant expressly retains the right to take any actions necessary to remove the above-cited references from the available prior art.

Consideration of the above-identified references in the examination of the present patent application is respectfully requested.

No fee is believed to be due because it is believed that this statement and enclosures are being filed before the first Office Action on the merits has been mailed by the PTO. The basis of this belief is that no Office Action on the merits appears to have been received by the undersigned to date. Please charge any fees due in connection with this statement to the deposit account of McAndrews, Held & Malloy, Ltd., Account No. 13-0017.

Respectfully submitted,

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